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1. Which of the following thermometer would be most suitable for supply fluctuating temperature;
  - a) Constant volume gas
  - b) Mercury in glass
  - c) Thermoelectric
  - d) Platinum resistance
2. The values of the pressure and volume of a fixed mass of gas in gas thermometer at the triple point of water are  $P_T = 1.00 \times 10^5 \text{ Pa}$ .  $V_T = 1.00 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}^3$ . When the pressure of gas is  $1.10 \times 10^5 \text{ Pa}$  and its volume is  $1.20 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}^3$ . What is the temperature of the gas
  - a) 250k
  - b) 273k
  - c) 298k
  - d) 361k
3. Which of the following physical properties cannot be used to measure temperature?
  - a) The change in pressure of a gas at constant volume
  - b) Area expansion of a column of mercury
  - c) Volume of an ideal gas
  - d) The resistance of a piece of conductor
4. The flow of blood in the body of a human being is typical example of
  - a) convection
  - b) radiation
  - c) conduction
  - d) evaporation
5. The rate at which a body emits radiant energy is proportional to the following factors except
  - a) Absolute temperature
  - b) fourth power of absolute temperature
  - c) length of the body
  - d) surface area of the body
6. Which of the following statement is not correct about an ideal absorber
  - a) emissivity  $e > 1$
  - b) emissivity  $e < 1$
  - c) emissivity  $e = 0$
  - d) emissivity  $e = 1$
7. Which of the following particles transport thermal energy through solids such as crystals?
  - a) free electrons
  - b) photons
  - c) protons
  - d) ions
8. Which of the following defines kinetic temperature?
  - a)  $mv^2 \frac{m\bar{v}^2}{3k_B}$
  - b)  $\frac{1}{2} \frac{m\bar{v}^2}{k_B}$
  - c)  $\frac{2m\bar{v}^2}{3k_B}$
  - d)  $\frac{3m\bar{v}^2}{2k_B}$
9. A fixed mass of an ideal gas slowly absorbs 1000J of heat and expands slowly at constant pressure of  $2.0 \times 10^4 \text{ Pa}$  from a volume of  $0.050 \text{ m}^3$  to a volume of  $0.075 \text{ m}^3$ . What is the effect of the internal energy on the gas?

- a) It decreases by 1000J  
 b) It decreases by 500J  
 c) It increases by 500J  
 d) It is unchanged.
10. Which of the following is true about isothermal process?  
 a) Work  $\Delta W = -nRT \ln(v_i/v_f)$   
 b) If  $\Delta W \leq E$ , work is done on the gas by the environment  
 c)  $\Delta Q < 0$ , heat flows out of the gas  
 d)  $\Delta Q > 0$ , heat flows out of the gas
11. When work is done by or on a system at constant pressure  
 a)  $\Delta V$  is negative, expansion  
 b)  $\Delta W$  is positive, expansion  
 c)  $\Delta V$  is positive, compression  
 d)  $\Delta W$  is positive, compressing
12. A sheet of rubber and a sheet of cardboard each 2mm thick are pressed together and their outer faces are maintained respectively at  $0^\circ\text{C}$  and  $25^\circ\text{C}$ . If the thermal conductivities of rubber and cardboard are  $0.13$  and  $0.05 \text{ W m}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}$ . Estimate the temperature of the interface  
 a)  $0^\circ\text{C}$       b)  $7^\circ\text{C}$       c)  $13.50^\circ\text{C}$       d)  $250^\circ\text{C}$
13. The equation  $\frac{dQ}{dt} = KA \frac{dQ}{dx}$  gives the rate of heat transfer through a conductor has an electrical equipment based on ohm's kw. When making the comparison, which of the following is/are correct?  
 i)  $\frac{dQ}{dt}$  is analogous to the current  
 ii)  $\frac{dQ}{dx}$  is analogous to the potential difference  
 iii)  $K$  is analogous to the resistivity  
 a) i only    b) iii only    c) i and ii only    d) i, ii and iii
14. The most probable energy in Maxwell's energy distribution is  
 a)  $\frac{3}{2} K_{BT}$       b)  $\frac{1}{2} K_{BT}$       c)  $\frac{1}{3} K_{BT}$       d)  $\frac{3}{2} K_{BT}$
15. What is the average kinetic energy of molecules on a gas at  $37^\circ\text{C}$ ?  
 a)  $2.14 \times 10^{-21} \text{ J}$     b)  $4.28 \times 10^{-21} \text{ J}$     c)  $6.42 \times 10^{-21} \text{ J}$     d)  $6.75 \times 10^{-21} \text{ J}$
16. The quantity which cannot be used to specify the state of thermodynamic system is  
 a) Internal energy      b) entropy  
 c) chemical potential    d) temperature

Use the information below to answer questions 17 - 19.

A quantity of ideal gas occupies an initial volume  $V_0$  at a pressure  $P_0$  and a temperature  $T_0$ . It expands to a volume  $V_i$ .

- i) At constant pressure
  - ii) At constant temperature
  - iii) A diabotically
17. In which case is Q greatest? Least?
- a) i and ii                      b) i and iii                      c) iii only                      d) i only
18. In which case is W greatest? Least?
- a) i only    b) ii and iii    c) iii only    d) i and iii
19. In which case is  $\Delta U$  greatest? Least?
- a) i only    b) iii only    c) i and iii    d) ii and iii
20. Which of the following is not true for equation of a reversible adiabatic expansion of an ideal gas?
- a)  $TV^{\delta-1} = \text{constant}$                       b)  $PV^{\delta} = \text{constant}$
- c)  $P^{\delta-1}/T^2 = \text{constant}$                       d)  $PV^{\delta-1} = \text{constant}$
21. The thermal efficiency of the carot engine assuming that the working substance in an ideal gas is
- a)  $Q_H/(Q_H - Q_L)$                       b)  $W/Q$                       c)  $1 - (T_H/T_L)$                       d)  $(Q_H - Q_L)/Q_H$
22. What is the root mean square velocity of nitrogen at a temperature of  $20^\circ\text{C}$
- a)  $133\text{ms}^{-1}$                       b)  $169\text{ms}^{-1}$                       c)  $293\text{ms}^{-1}$                       d)  $510\text{ms}^{-1}$
23. Calculate the amount of heat required to raise the temperature of  $600\text{cm}^3$  of water from  $40^\circ\text{C}$  to boiling point at  $100^\circ\text{C}$ . Density of water is  $100\text{kg/m}^3$  and specific heat is  $4200\text{J/kg.k}$
- a)  $1.512 \times 10^{11}\text{J}$                       b)  $151.2\text{kJ}$                       c)  $500\text{J}$                       d)  $610\text{kJ}$
24. A rail made of iron is  $12.00\text{m}$  long at  $0^\circ\text{C}$ . What is its length when heated to boiling point of water? Coefficient of linear expansion of iron is  $1.2 \times 10^{-5}\text{k}^{-1}$
- a)  $12.0144\text{m}$                       b)  $18.04\text{m}$                       c)  $12.14\text{m}$                       d)  $12.08\text{m}$
25. A black body of surface area  $2.5 \times 10^{-2} \text{m}^2$  and at temperature  $2000^\circ\text{C}$  is placed in a room where the temperature is  $30^\circ\text{C}$ . Calculate the net rate of heat radiation in the body.
- a)  $31825.4\text{Js}^{-1}$     b)  $40025.6\text{Js}^{-1}$     c)  $8275.4\text{Js}^{-1}$     d)  $39285.4\text{Js}^{-1}$
- Use the reformations below to answer questions 26 - 28.
- 3 moles of an ideal gas is kept at  $8.00^\circ\text{C}$  during an expansion from  $7.5$  litres to  $15.51$  litres. How much work is done by the gas during the expansion?
26.  $2087.88\text{J}$                       b)  $3089.88\text{J}$                       c)  $4087.88\text{J}$                       d)  $5087.88\text{J}$
27. How much energy transfer by heat occur with the surroundings in the process?
28. If the gas is returned to its original volume by Isobaric process, how much work is done by the gas?

$600 \times 10^{-6} \text{ m}^3$   
 $1000 \text{ kg/m}^3$   
 $600 \times 10^{-3} \text{ kg}$   
 $4200 \text{ J/kg.k}$   
 $600 \times 10^{-3} \times 4200 \times (100 - 40)$   
 $1.512 \times 10^8 \text{ J}$

$p = 6 \times 10^5 \text{ Pa}$   
 $(15.51 - 7.5) \text{ m}^3$

$3$   
 $1.2 \times 10^{-5} \times 1000 \times 12 = 1.2 \times 10^{-2}$   
 $1.2 \times 10^{-2} \times 15.51 = 1.8612 \times 10^{-1}$   
 $1.8612 \times 10^{-1} \times 6 \times 10^5 = 1.11672 \times 10^5 \text{ J}$

1 mole of hydrogen gas is heated at constant pressure from 300k to 420k. calculate

29. The energy transferred by heat to the gas?  
 a) 0J                      b) 3491.88J                      c) 2494.2J                      d) 997.68J
30. The increase in its internal energy  
 a) 0J                      b) 2494.2J                      c) 3491.88J                      d) 997.68J
31. Work done by the gas  
 a) 0J                      b) 2494.2J                      c) 3491.88J                      d) 997.68J
32. At what temperature will celcius and Fahrenheit scale have the same reading?  
 a)  $-40^\circ$                       b)  $40^\circ$                       c)  $-60^\circ\text{C}$                       d)  $20^\circ$
33. A glass window having a coefficient of linear expansion  $3.2 \times 10^{-6}$  is exactly 20cm by 30cm at  $10^\circ\text{C}$ . By how much is its area increased when its temperature is  $40^\circ\text{C}$ ?  
 a)  $0.02545\text{m}^2$                       b)  $1.2\text{m}^2$   
 c)  $1.152 \times 10^{-5}\text{m}^2$                       d)  $1.285 \times 10^{-5}\text{m}^2$
34. An ideal gas occupies a volume of  $100\text{cm}^3$  at  $20^\circ\text{C}$  and  $100\text{Pa}$ . find the number of moles in the container.  
 a)  $2.73 \times 10^{-6}$  moles                      b)  $2.73 \times 10^{-5}$  moles  
 c) 8.5 moles                      d) 2.4 moles
35. In question 34 above find the number of molecules in the container.  
 a)  $1.647 \times 10^{18}$                       b)  $2.4 \times 10^{18}$   
 c)  $3.6 \times 10^{18}$                       d)  $1.06 \times 10^{18}$
36. In an experiment with a constant volume gas thermometer the pressure at the triple point of water was found to be  $4.0 \times 10^4\text{Pa}$ . what is the temperature of absolute zero on celcius scale?  
 a) 368.8k                      b)  $468.8^\circ\text{C}$                       c)  $368.8^\circ\text{C}$                       d) 468.8k
37. The resistance of the element of a platinum resistance thermometer is  $2.00\Omega$  at the ice point and  $2.73\Omega$  at the steam point. What temperature on the platinum resistance scale would correspond to a resistance value of  $8.43\Omega$ ?  
 a)  $881^\circ\text{C}$                       b) 481k                      c) 881k                      d)  $481^\circ\text{C}$
38. Which thermometer temperatures are used as standard temperatures?  
 a) Gas thermometer                      b) electric thermometer  
 c) resistance thermometer                      d) thermocouples
39. Two-moles of helium gas is at a pressure of  $20\text{Pa}$  and internal equilibrium with an unknown gas. If the unknown gas is at a temperature of  $70^\circ\text{F}$ . Find the volume of the helium gas  
 a) 2445                      b) 24.45                      c) 2.445                      d) 244.5

$Pv = nRT$   $\frac{100 \times 10^{-6}}{293}$

$v = \sqrt{\frac{3RT}{M}}$

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40. Compute the number of molecules in a volume of  $5\text{cm}^3$  at a temperature of  $500\text{k}$  and a pressure of  $1\text{cm}$  of mercury

a)  $7.3 \times 10^{22}$

b)  $0.73 \times 10^{22}$

c)  $73 \times 10^{22}$

d)  $0.073 \times 10^{22}$

$$Q = n C_p \Delta T$$

$$C_p = \frac{5}{2} R$$

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1. Find the force associated with the expansion of steel beam whose cross-sectional area is  $250\text{cm}^2$  when its temperature increases by  $20^\circ\text{C}$  (Yung Modulus for steel  $r = 2.0 \times 10^{11}\text{N.m}^2$  and coefficient of linear expansivity  $\alpha = 1.2 \times 10^{-5}/^\circ\text{C}$ )

Use the information below to answer questions 2 and 3.

*A gas sample occupies  $4.3\text{m}^3$  at an absolute pressure of 2 bar and a temperature of  $320\text{k}$*

2. find its volume at temperature of  $400\text{k}$  if the pressure remains 2 bar  
a)  $5.0\text{m}^3$             b)  $21.0\text{m}^3$             c)  $20.0\text{m}^3$             d)  $15.0\text{m}^3$
3. Find its volume at  $320\text{k}$  temperature and a pressure of  $0.4\text{bar}$ .  
a)  $5.0\text{m}^3$             b)  $20.0\text{m}^3$             c)  $6.0\text{m}^3$             d)  $15.0\text{m}^3$
4. Heat transfer by convection occurs  
a) Only in liquids  
b) Only in gases  
c) Only in liquids and gases  
d) In solids, liquids and gas
5. The temperature of an object that emits electromagnetic radiation must be  
a) Higher than that of its surroundings  
b) Higher than  $0^\circ\text{C}$   
c) Higher than  $0\text{k}$   
d) High enough for it to glow
6. Heat flows through a wooden board  $30\text{mm}$  thick at  $0086\text{Wcm}^{-2}$  when one of its sides is  $20^\circ\text{C}$  warmer than the other. What is the thermal conductivity of the wood?  
a)  $0.013\text{W}/(\text{m}_1^\circ\text{C})$             b)  $0.78\text{W}/(\text{m}_1^\circ\text{C})$   
c)  $0.52\text{W}/(\text{m}_1^\circ\text{C})$             d)  $0.13\text{W}/(\text{m}_1^\circ\text{C})$

Use the information below to answer questions 7 - 9.

*A mass of gas at an initial pressure of 28 bars with an internal energy of  $1500\text{kJ}$  is contained in a well insulated cylinder of volume  $0.6\text{m}^3$ . The gas is allowed to expand behind the piston until its internal energy is  $1400\text{kJ}$ . The law of expansion  $PV^2 = \text{constant}$ .*

7. What is the work done by the gas?  
a)  $200\text{kJ}$             b)  $100\text{kJ}$             c)  $-100\text{kJ}$             d)  $-200\text{kJ}$
8. What is the final volume of the gas?  
a)  $14.8\text{m}^3$             b)  $0.15\text{m}^3$             c)  $4.50\text{m}^3$             d)  $2.0 \times 10^{-3}\text{m}^3$
9. Calculate the final pressure of the gas  
a)  $4.59\text{ bar}$             b)  $14.0\text{ bar}$             c)  $56\text{ bar}$             d)  $45.9\text{ bar}$
10. When will molecular motion in a gas stop?  
a) When the gas becomes a liquid

- b) When the gas becomes solid  
 c) At absolute zero  
 d) When the pressure on it exceeds a certain volume
11. An aluminium pot whose volume is  $100\text{cm}^3$  at  $20^\circ\text{C}$  has a volume of  $100\text{cm}^3$  at  $100^\circ\text{C}$ . The coefficient of linear expansion of aluminium is  
 a)  $2.25 \times 10^{-4}/^\circ\text{C}$                       b)  $7.5 \times 10^{-5}/^\circ\text{C}$   
 c)  $6.0 \times 10^{-3}/^\circ\text{C}$                       d)  $2.5 \times 10^{-5}/^\circ\text{C}$
12. When an iron bar is heated from  $283\text{k}$  to  $383\text{k}$ , which of the following statement is correct?  
 a) Its volume increase and its density decreases  
 b) Its volume increases and its density is unchanged  
 c) Its volume increase and density increases  
 d) Its volume is unchanged and its density increases
13. The temperature of gas in a container of fixed volume is raised. The gas exerts a higher pressure on the walls of the container because  
 a) Loose more P.E when they strike the walls  
 b) Loose more K.E when they strike the walls  
 c) Are in contact with the walls for a short time  
 d) Have higher average velocities and strike the walls more often.
14. The volume of a gas sample in a container is increased while its temperature is held constant. The gas exerts lower pressure on the walls of the container partly because its molecules strike the walls  
 a) With less energy'                      b) less often  
 c) with less force                      d) with lower velocities
15. The molecules of a gas at  $10^\circ\text{C}$  would have twice as much average kinetic energy at what temperature?  
 a)  $566^\circ\text{C}$                       b)  $859^\circ\text{C}$                       c)  $20^\circ\text{C}$                       d)  $293^\circ\text{C}$
16. When a heat engine takes in heat at one temperature which of the following is true?  
 a) It turns all the heat into work  
 b) It turns some of the heat into work and rejects the rest at a higher temperature  
 c) It turns some of the heat to work and rejects the rest at a lower temperature  
 d) It turns some of the heat to work and rejects the rest at the same temperature
17. If a correct engine absorbs  $10\text{kJ}$  of heat per cycle when it operates between  $500\text{k}$  and  $400\text{k}$ . what is the amount of work done per cycle?  
 a)  $2.5\text{kJ}$                       b)  $2\text{kJ}$                       c)  $8\text{kJ}$                       d)  $10\text{kJ}$

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18. Three designs A, B and C for an engine to operate 500k and 300 are proposed. Design A is calculated to be 750J, design B to produce 500kJ and design C to produce 250J of work per kilojoule of heat input. Which design has the highest efficiency?  
 a) C      b) A      c) B      d) None
19. A blackbody is at a temperature of 500°C. What is its temperature in order that it radiates twice as much energy per second?  
 a) 564°C      b) 464°C      c) 646°C      d) 746°C
20. The temperature of the earth's surface average at 15°C. If the earth were a black body, at what rate would it radiate energy?  
 a) 288W/m<sup>2</sup>      b) 390 W/m<sup>2</sup>      c) 251 W/m<sup>2</sup>      d) 79 W/m<sup>2</sup>
21. The bare skin of a boy is at an average temperature of 33°C in a room of temperature 20°C. If the emissivity  $\epsilon = 1$ , calculate the net rate of which the boy loss energy by radiation.  
 a) 0.16 $\mu$ W/cm<sup>2</sup>      b) 79mW/cm<sup>2</sup>  
 c) 50mW/cm<sup>2</sup>      d) 89W/cm<sup>2</sup>
22. The temperature difference between the inside and the outside of an automobile engine is 450°C. This temperature difference in Kelvin scale is  
 a) 450k      b) 743k      c) 197k      d) 723k
23. Find the minimum amount of ice at -10°C needed to bring the temperature of 500g of water at 20°C to 0°C  
 a) 118g      b) 218g      c) 1992.4g      d) 0.118g
24. Which of the following statement is/are correct?  
 i) Temperature is a scalar quantity  
 ii) Temperature is describes by a number  
 iii) The gas pressure of a gas at covalent pressure can be used as a thermometric property  
 iv) Zeroeth law of thermodynamics enables us to defeat energy  
 a) i and iv      b) ii      c) iv      d) iii
25. Which of the following is/are correct?  
 i) Work done by a system depends on its initial and final state  
 ii) 'work done by a system dependis only on the path followed by the system  
 iii) A cyclic process starts and ends at same state  
 iv) Adiabatic process starts and ends at the same state.  
 a) ii and iii only      b) i, ii and iv only  
 c) i and iv only      d) i only
26. fifteen molecules of a gas have speeds of 60, 90, 10.0, 13.0, 13.0, 15.0, 17.0, 17.0, 18.0, 19.0, 20.0, 20.0, 22.0, 23.0, 24.0 all in ms<sup>-1</sup>. What is the root mean square speed?  
 a) 15.3ms<sup>-1</sup>      b) 17.2ms<sup>-1</sup>      c) 16.ms<sup>-2</sup>      d) 18.6ms<sup>-1</sup>



27. A hot liquid at  $80^{\circ}\text{C}$  is added by 600g of the same liquid originally at  $10^{\circ}\text{C}$ . When the mixture reaches 30% the total mass of the mixture is

- a) 825g                      b) 240g                      c) 840g  
e) inadequate information since the specific heat is not given

Use the following information to answer questions 28 – 30

A 10KW refrigerator whose coefficient of performance (COP) is 2.0 takes heat from a freezer compartment at  $-20^{\circ}\text{C}$  and exhausts it at  $40^{\circ}\text{C}$

28. What is the COP if it is an ideal refrigerator?

- a) 2.4                      b) 4.2                      c) 5.2                      d) 3.2

29. At what rate would the refrigerator remove heat from the freezer compartment

- a) 2.0KW                      b) 4.2KW                      c) 5.2KW                      d) 2.4KW

30. What is its percentage of COP relative to that of an ideal refrigerator?

- a) 50%                      b) 40%                      c) 48%                      d) 45%

Use the following information to answer questions 31 and 32

Two moles of an ideal gas ( $\gamma = 1.40$ ) expands slowly and initially from pressure of 5.00atm and volume  $12.0\text{m}^3$  to final volume of  $30.0\text{m}^3$

31. What is the final pressure of the gas?

- a) 3.00 atm                      b) 2.00 atm                      c) 1.39atm                      d) 0.50 atm

32. What is the initial temperature?

- a) 366.4K                      b) 286K                      c) 3.6K                      d) 253.5K

33. Which of the following statement is/are correct? Without work being done on it, gas cannot be

- i) Compressed adiabatically  
ii) Compresses isothermally  
iii) Compresses adiabatically  
iv) Expanded adiabatically

- a) i and ii only                      b) iv only                      c) ii and iii only                      d) i, ii and iii

Use the following information to answer questions 34 and 35

an ideal gas initially at 300k undergoes an isobaric expansion at 2.50kPa. the volume increases from  $1.00\text{m}^3$  to  $3.00\text{m}^3$  while 12.5kJ of energy is transfers to the as by heat.

34. What is the change in internal energy of the gas?

- a) 5.70kJ                      b) 2.50kJ                      c) 12.5kJ                      d) 7.50kJ

35. What is the final temperature?

- a) 900K                      b) 400K                      c) 450K                      d) 490K

36. What is the real mean square speed of oxygen at  $14^{\circ}\text{C}$ ?

- a)  $14.45\text{ms}^{-1}$                       b)  $472.96\text{ms}^{-1}$   
c)  $21.15\text{ms}^{-1}$                       d)  $668.87\text{ms}^{-1}$

37. Which of the following statement is untrue about an ideal gas?
- a) P.E of their molecular interaction is negligible compared with the K.E of their motion
  - b) Intermolecular forces between the molecules are strong
  - c) Internal energy is a function of the temperature of the gas
  - d) The collision of the molecules is elastic
38. Which of the following thermometers can be used to measure a constantly changing temperature?
- a) Thermoelectric thermometer
  - b) measuring glass
  - c) constant-volume gas
  - d) platinum resistance
39. Which of the following thermodynamic variable is not intensive variable?
- a) Specific heat
  - b) density
  - c) head content
  - d) temperature
40. A thermodynamic system whereby only energy is allowed to move across the boundary is termed
- a) Isolated system
  - b) closed system
  - c) open system
  - d) open or closed system